



Rotary

Rotary Club of San Jose East/Evergreen

GERALD AND DOROTHY ERICH ENDOWMENT FUND SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

This fund draws both its name and its inspiration from Jerry and Dorothy Erich. The long-time owners of Erich Printing and Lithographing, they gave many young people their start in graphics and the business world. Jerry funded the endowment and conferred on the Board of Directors the responsibility of carrying on his objective of helping worthy high school graduates of the East Side Union High School District to pursue their educational goals through two-year scholarships to community colleges or trade schools.



ELIGIBILITY: Scholarships are available to seniors and graduates (within one year of graduation) of East Side Union High School District, located in San Jose, CA.

They must have a GPA of at least 2.5 and plan to attend a community college or trade school in a two-year program after completing high school.

SELECTION CRITERIA: All applications will be judged on the following:

1. Financial need
2. Teacher recommendations (2)
3. Extracurricular activities
4. High School transcript
5. Completed application
6. Scholarship Committee Recommendation to the Erich Endowment Fund Board of Directors

APPLICATIONS: NEW THIS YEAR—We switched to using Google forms instead of a paper application; the link to the online application form and the forms download are on the club's website — www.rotarysjee.org. Click on **2019 Scholarship Application**. Instructions, including the application deadline May 31, 2019, are included with the application materials.

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